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FROM: AMBASSADOR STOESSEL - MOSCOW 196

TO: GENERAL SCOWCROFT - WHITE HOUSE

PLEASE PASS SONNENFELDT

SUBJECT: TIMING OF PNE TALKS

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REF: MOSCOW 185

ON-FILE NSC RELEASE
INSTRUCTIONS APPLY

1. AS YOU KNOW, I AM CONCERNED ABOUT TIMING OF RESUMPTION PNE TALKS. IN VIEW OF MOROKHOV'S PLANS TO BE ABSENT FROM MOSCOW FOR EXTENDED PERIOD BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 14 AND MY OWN PLANS TO RETURN TO U.S. ABOUT THAT TIME FOR GROMYKO TALKS, IT WOULD SEEM DESIRABLE TO BEGIN THE NEXT PNE ROUND SEPTEMBER 1. ANY WORD YOU COULD GIVE ME ON PROSPECTS FOR THIS OR OTHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION WOULD BE MUCH APPRECIATED.

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2. WARM REGARDS.

*****WHSR COMMENT*****

MCFARLANE, RODMAN: NOT YET SENT TO SONNENFELDT OR SCOWCROFT.

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